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Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 5 1 (currently amended): A method for controlling a computing device with a security device wherein a first identification information is stored in said computing device and a second identification information is stored in said security device, said first identification information comprising ~~primary~~ administrative first identification information and ~~secondary~~ regular first identification information, said computing
- 10 device further comprising a BIOS program and an operation system program, said method comprising the steps of:
- executing said BIOS program of said computer system;
- fetching said first identification information and said second identification information;
- 15 comparing said ~~primary~~ administrative first identification information with said second identification information;
- querying whether to update said first identification information in response to said second identification information matching said ~~primary~~ administrative first identification information;
- 20 comparing said ~~secondary~~ regular first identification information with said second identification information; and
- skipping querying whether to update said first identification information, and executing said operation system program directly in response to said second identification information matching said ~~secondary~~ regular first identification
- 25 information.
- 2 (original): The method of claim 1 in which said second identification information does not match said first identification information, further comprising the step of turning off said computing device.
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3 (original): The method of claim 1 in which said second identification information does not match said first identification information, further comprising the steps of:

5 querying whether to turn off said computing device or to fetch said second identification information again;
fetching said second identification information from said security device; and
comparing said second identification information with said first identification information.

10 4-18 (cancelled)

19 (currently amended): A computing system comprising :

an administrator security device having a ~~primary~~ an administrative second identification information stored therein;
15 a computing device having a plurality of first identification information, a BIOS program and an operation system program stored therein, wherein said plurality of first identification information comprises a ~~primary~~ an administrative first identification information and a ~~secondary~~ regular first identification information, said computing device executing said BIOS
20 program, fetching said ~~primary~~ administrative second identification information from said administrator security device, comparing said ~~primary~~ administrative second identification information with said plurality of first identification information, and determining that said ~~primary~~ administrative second identification information matches said ~~primary~~ administrative first
25 identification information, and querying whether to update said first identification information or not; and
a user security device having a ~~secondary~~ regular second identification information stored therein,
wherein if said computing device is instructed to update said first identification
30 information, said computing device fetches said ~~secondary~~ regular second

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identification information from said user security device and updates said first identification information to match said ~~secondary~~ regular second identification information.

5 20 (currently amended): The computing system of claim 19, wherein said computing device updates said ~~primary~~ administrative first identification information to match said ~~secondary~~ regular second identification information.

10 21 (currently amended): The computing system of claim 19, wherein said computing device updates said ~~secondary~~ regular first identification information to match said ~~secondary~~ regular second identification information.

15 22 (original): The computing system of claim 19, wherein updating said first identification information is executed by said BIOS program.

23 (original): The computing system of claim 19, wherein updating said first identification information is executed by said operation system program.